

**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**

STATE OF UTAH)

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County of Emery,)

I, Dan Stockburger, on oath, say that I am the Publisher of the  
Emery County Progress, a weekly newspaper of general cir-  
culation, published at Castle Dale, State and County afore-  
said, and that a certain notice, a true copy of which is hereto  
attached, was published in the full issue of such newspaper  
for One (1) consecutive issues, and that the  
first publication was on the

1st June 93  
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and that the last publication of such notice was in the issue of  
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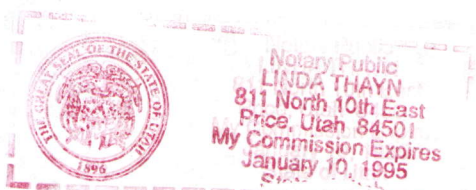
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Notary Public

My Commission expires January 10, 1995

Residing at Price, Utah

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**NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE  
TENTATIVE APPROVAL  
Cause No. M/015/062**

IN THE MATTER OF TENTATIVE APPROVAL OF A LARGE MIN-  
ING NOTICE SUBMITTED BY ECDC ENVIRONMENTAL, L.C.,  
EMERY COUNTY, UTAH.

THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS OF PRO-  
DUCTION, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND PARTICU-  
LARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN SECTIONS 36, TOWNSHIP  
15 SOUTH, RANGE 11 EAST, AND SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 16  
SOUTH, RANGE 11 WEST, SLBM, EMERY COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining of its  
intent to issue tentative approval to ECDC Environmental, L.C. (ECDC)  
for a Large Mine Notice of Intent, filed in preparation to Commence Min-  
ing Operations. The name of the mining operation is the ECDC Clay Pro-  
ject. Mining activities will effect the following areas: SE/4, Section 36,  
Township 15 South, Range 11 East; NE/4, NW/4, Section 1, Township 16  
South, Range 11 East; NW/4, NE/4, Section 1 Township 16 South, Range  
11 East, SLBM, Emery County, Utah.

ECDC submitted a Large Mine permit application (Mining and Recla-  
mation Plan) to mine natural source clay material existing at or close to  
the ground surface. The person representing the company is Mr. Gary  
Neilson, Manager of Landfill Operations, 1111 W. Highway 123, P.O.  
Box 69, East Carbon, Utah 84520, Phone (801)888-4451.

ECDC is fulfilling obligations under the Utah Mined Land Reclama-  
tion Act of 1975 (Section 40-8, UCA, 1953, as amended) with specific  
reference to Section 40-8-18 and will employ the following mining and  
reclamation techniques on approximately 18 acres of state and private  
land.

**During Operations**

ECDC will mine a shallow open pit for bentonite clays. The clay will be  
excavated using D-9 dozers and 988 loader. It will be crushed and  
screened, then hauled approximately 18 miles along existing county and  
state roads to the ECDC landfill near East Carbon for use as liner and  
cover material for the landfill. The operator plans to excavate approxi-  
mately 130,000 cubic yards of clay in a period of 90 days.

**Following Operations**

ECDC will backfill and regrade mined areas to slopes no steeper than  
2h:1v. Roads and pads will be ripped and regraded where appropriate.  
All reclaimed areas will be mulched, fertilized and reseeded with an  
approved seed mixture. All equipment and structures will be removed  
from the site. Portions of the access road leading into the site will be left  
for post-mine landuse.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this notice of intent to issue tenta-  
tive approval is hereby requested to submit written protest within thirty  
(30) days of the date of publication to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining,  
355 West North Temple, 3 Triad Center, Suite 350, Salt Lake City, Utah  
84180-1203, setting forth factual reasons for his or her complaint, and  
thereafter, at a time and place to be established, appear before the Board  
of Oil, Gas and Mining to show cause, if any, why this Notice of Intention  
(mine plan) should not be approved.

DATED THIS 25th day of May, 1993.

STATE OF UTAH  
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING  
-s-James W. Carter  
Director

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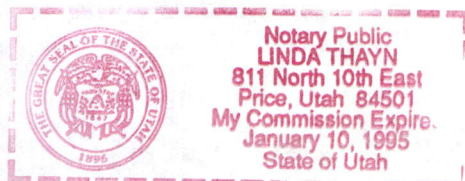
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